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Applicant : Ivan Hargro et al.
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the action mailed October 26, 2000, applicant elects claims 22-36 for prosecution. The examiner has designated these claims as belonging to Group II drawn to a chromatography column. The election is made without traverse.

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Respectfully submitted,

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